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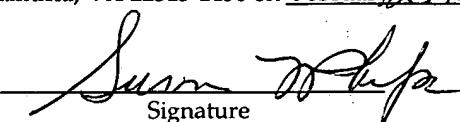
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Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116

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Sir:

The present response under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 makes no changes in applicants' specification or claims. Accordingly, the full and complete listing of applicants' claims as they presently stand is presented beginning on the next page.